

**Task force on poverty alleviation programmes**

1331. SHRI P.N. SIVA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether any Task Force has been set up to study the impact of various poverty alleviation programmes in the rural areas;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Task Force has submitted any report to the Planning Commission; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) No, Sir. The Planning Commission has not set up any Task Force to study the impact of various poverty alleviation programmes in rural areas.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

**Funds to Maharashtra under PMGY and PMRY**

†1332. SHRI SURYABHAN PATIL VAHADANE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) the district-wise and the constituency-wise amount allocated to Maharashtra under the Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojana and Pradhan Mantri Rozgar Yojana during the year 2000-2001 and 2001-2002;

(b) the amount allocated, item-wise, alongwith the works for which the same have been allocated; and

(c) the amount approved for and spent on roads, district-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRIMATI VASUNDHARA RAJE): (a) The Central Government allocates funds to the States under Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojana and Pradhan Mantri Rozgar Yojana for the State, as a whole. Further allocation is done by the concerned State Government. The respective allocations made to the State for the years, 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 for these schemes are, as under:

Name of the scheme	Amount allocated (Rs.in lakhs)	
	2000-2001	2001-2002
1. Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojana	9913.00	11103.00

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